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SUBJ: FINNISH VERSION OSLO MEETING NORDIC
POLITICAL OFFICERS.

1. CHIEF, POLITICAL DEPARTMENT, FINNISH FONOFF (TUOVINEN)
RETURNED JANUARY 30 FROM MEETING OF NORDIC "POLITICAL
OFFICERS AND CSCE SPECIALISTS" IN OSLO LAST WEEKEND.
AT RISK OF DUPLICATING INFORMATION ALREADY AVAILABLE
INFO POSTS BY THEIR GOOD SOURCES, WE OFFER FINNISH VERSION
OF DISCUSSIONS AS RELATED BY TUOVINEN TO DCM.

2. GUINEA-BISSAU: PROPOSAL CURRENTLY BEING TOUTED BY
DUTCH SEC GEN KOOYMONS IN CERTAIN NORDIC CAPITALS FELT
TO HAVE CONSIDERABLE MERIT. RECOGNITION QUESTION
IS HIGH ON AGENDA FOR DECISION AT APRIL MEETING
OF NORDIC FOREIGN MINISTERS IN COPENHAGEN.

3. CSCE: PARTICIPANTS DISCUSSED EACH BASKET POINT BY
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POINT. VERY GOOD UNDERSTANDING OF CONFLICTING POSITIONS

BETWEEN EAST AND WEST. WILL HAVE TO WAIT FOR SOCIALIST CAMP TO BREAK LOG JAM ACCORDING ITS TIMETABLE. PICTURE SHOULD BE CLEARER AT TIME APRIL MEETING IN COPENHAGEN.

4. KEFLAVIK: GENERAL FEELING THAT NATO BASE SHOULD CONTINUE IN ICELAND, WHILE ACKNOWLEDGING THIS WAS ICELAND'S INTERNAL AFFAIR. TUOVINEN SAID "IF SUCH A BASE IS CONSIDERED NECESSARY BY NATO, THERE IS NO BETTER PLACE FOR IT FROM FINNISH POINT OF VIEW."

5. MIDDLE EAST: COMPARED NOTES ON RECENT VISIT OF EGYPTIAN AMBASSADORS TO NORDIC CAPITALS. OIL CRISES DISCUSSED IN GENERAL TERMS.
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